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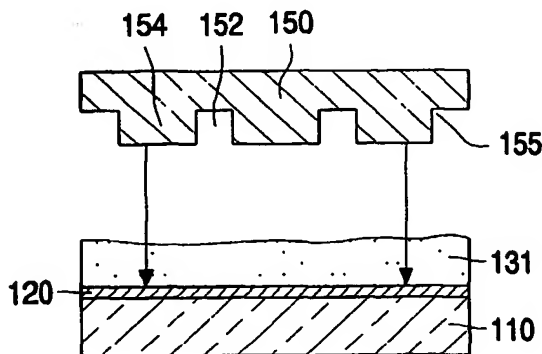
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a cathode electrode (120) and a gate electrode (140). Between
these electrodes, a patterned dielectric layer (130) is provided.
According to the invention, this dielectric layer (130) is manufac-
tured from a liquid precursor material (131) which is patterned by
means of a liquid embossing step, i.e. engaging a patterned stamp
(150) with the liquid material (131). After removing the stamp
(150), the liquid material is cured to form the patterned dielectric
layer (130). Preferably, in a subsequent manufacturing step, the
cathode electrode (120) or the gate electrode (140) is formed over
the patterned dielectric layer (130) in a self-aligned way.

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